

CONFERENCE AT A GLANCE

Monday, March 5, 2007

7:30 am - 6:00 pm
Registration Open

8:00 am - 12:00 noon
Exhibitors Set-up

9:00 am - 12:00 noon
Pre-Conference Workshop (OES Training)

12:15 pm - 2:15 pm
Welcome
Chief U.S. Probation Officer Greg Forest
Pat McCrory, Mayor of Charlotte
U.S. Representative Sue Myrick

Introduction
Keynote Speaker
Luncheon

2:00 pm - 6:00 pm
Exhibitor's Showcase

2:30 pm - 4:30 pm
Session A Workshops
A-1: Stop Revving Your Engines and Put It Into Gear...The Case Management and Training Toolbox
A-2: The Race is On: Finding Education, Training and Employment Using Workforce Investment Act Funds
A-3: Pretrial Assessment and the Continuum of Workforce Development
A-4: Best Practices - Implementing a Pretrial Program
A-5: Paving the Road to Reentry from the Inside
A-6: Turning the Wheels of Reentry Success: What You Need to Know About Cultural Diversity and Motivating Defendants and Offenders
A-7: Breaking Down "The Wall" for Youthful Native Americans Offenders

5:00 pm - 7:00 pm
Welcome Reception

Tuesday, March 6, 2007

7:30 am - 5:00 pm
Registration Open

8:00 am - 5:00 pm
Exhibitor's Showcase

8:00 am - 9:00 am
Continental Breakfast

9:00 am - 10:15 am
Morning Plenary
Keynote Speaker

10:30 am - 12:30 pm
Session B Workshops

- B-1: Just Do It - Create an Offender Workforce Development Partnership in Your State!
- B-2: Employer Panel
- B-3: Workforce Development and Women Offenders
- B-4: Solicitation for Vocational Services through the AOUSC's National Request for Proposal Process
- B-5: Developing Educational Partnerships - Vance Granville Community College and the Federal Correctional Complex, Butner, NC
- B-6: Behavioral Change Strategies with Offenders through Interactive Journaling AE
- B-7: Evidence-Based Workforce Development - Practices in Maryland

12:45 pm - 1:45 pm
"The Winner's Circle" Awards Luncheon

2:00 pm - 2:45 pm
Keynote Speaker Pat Nolan, President of Justice Fellowship

3:00 pm - 5:00 pm
Session C Workshops

- C-1: Who's Gonna Hire Me?
- C-2: Ex-Offender Panel
- C-3: Employer Recruitment and Job Development: Vital Components for Success

- C-4: Creating Workforce Development Culture in Correctional Facilities-Vermont
- C-5: Promoting Public Safety and Lowering Recidivism through Using Offender Workforce Development Training to Create Effective Job Readiness and Retention Groups for Offenders
- C-6: Live Internet Connections
- C-7: Beyond the Gate but Behind the Fence

Wednesday, March 7, 2007

7:00 am - 8:00 am
Continental Breakfast

8:00 am - 1:00 pm
Registration Open

8:00 am - 9:00 am
Morning Plenary
Keynote

9:15 am - 11:15 am
Session D Workshops

- D-1: YouthBuild
- D-2: Federal Partners: Fueling Their Engines / Points of Contact
- D-3: Faith-Based Initiatives by Connections to Success
- D-4: Programs for Incarcerated Veterans for Pre-Release Planning
- D-5: Why Apprenticeship?
- D-6: The Offender Got the Job - Now Let's Help Him Keep It!
- D-7: Speeding Towards Success: Maximizing Employment Opportunities for Offenders through Federal and State Policy Reform

11:30 am - 12:30 pm
Question and Answer Forum
Closing Plenary